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NAVIGATION BULLETIN NO. 09-15

CHEFUNCTE RIVER  
AND  
BOGUE FALAYA PROJECT

A hazard to navigation exists near the middle of the Bogue Falaya River. It is located at mile 11.2 of the Chefuncte River and Bogue Falaya Project (latitude 30.44871' North, longitude 90.10946' West). The obstruction is a downed tree located in the heavily used center of the channel and is difficult to see when one comes around the river bend from the north. The river is approximately 200 feet wide at this location and the tree is about 70 feet from the right descending bank. There are 2 main limbs above the waterline, each approximately 14" in diameter by 20' long and projecting toward the center of the channel. The size and depth of the submerged portion of the tree has not been determined.

Mariners are urged to proceed with caution and to transit at their slowest safe speed when passing the obstruction.

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